

STATE OF MIND

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STATE OF MIND IS A BODY OF WORK THAT IS CONTINUOUSLY EVOLVING, PULLING IN AND LINKING TO DIFFERENT PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIES AS IT GROWS. EACH PHO-TOGRAPH IS A RESPONSE TO A SPECIFIC MOMENT AND IS ENCOURAGED BY WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND ME: WHAT I HEAR, WHAT I SEE AND HOW I FEEL, WHETHER IT IS MELANCHOLY, ANGER, HUMOUR, DEATH, LIFE OR LOVE. THE CHALLENGES AND EXPERIENCES THAT I AM FACING DURING THIS PHASE OF MY LIFE IS MIRRORED IN EVERY PHOTOGRAPH.

INSPIRED BY CLASSICAL FILM PHOTOGRAPHERS, I USED TRADITIONAL PHOTOGRA-PHY TECHNIQUES SUCH AS BLEACHING, SCRATCHING, WAXING AND PAINTING TO ADD DEPTH AND TEXTURE TO EACH IMAGE.

TRADITIONAL FILM PHOTOGRAPHY TECHNIQUES BRING CONTEMPORARY ISSUES TO VISUAL LIFE IN THIS SERIES *STATE OF MIND*.



FAITH AND PERSECUTION #2 2022

30cm × 24cm Toned silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15



WOMAN WITH HORNS 2022

30cm × 24cm Toned Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15





MY BODY MY RIGHTS

47cm × 47cm Toned silver gelatin hand print of warm tone gloss fibre Edition 10



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BLACK BAUHINIA #2 2020 41cm × 41cm, Toned Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre, Edition of 15

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MUSE 2020

40.5cm × 51cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 10



AFTER THE SUNFLOWERS 2019

16.5cm × 14cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone gloss fibre Open edition





MISS MONGOLIA 2019 41.5cm × 42cm, Toned silver gelatin hand print of warm tone fibre, Edition 15



DIMSUM AT MORAN MARKET 2019 (모란시장 만두 2019)

47cm × 49cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15

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PERSECUTED 2018

38cm × 38cm, 18cm × 18cm, 14.5cm × 14.5cm, 26cm × 26cm Hand painted silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15







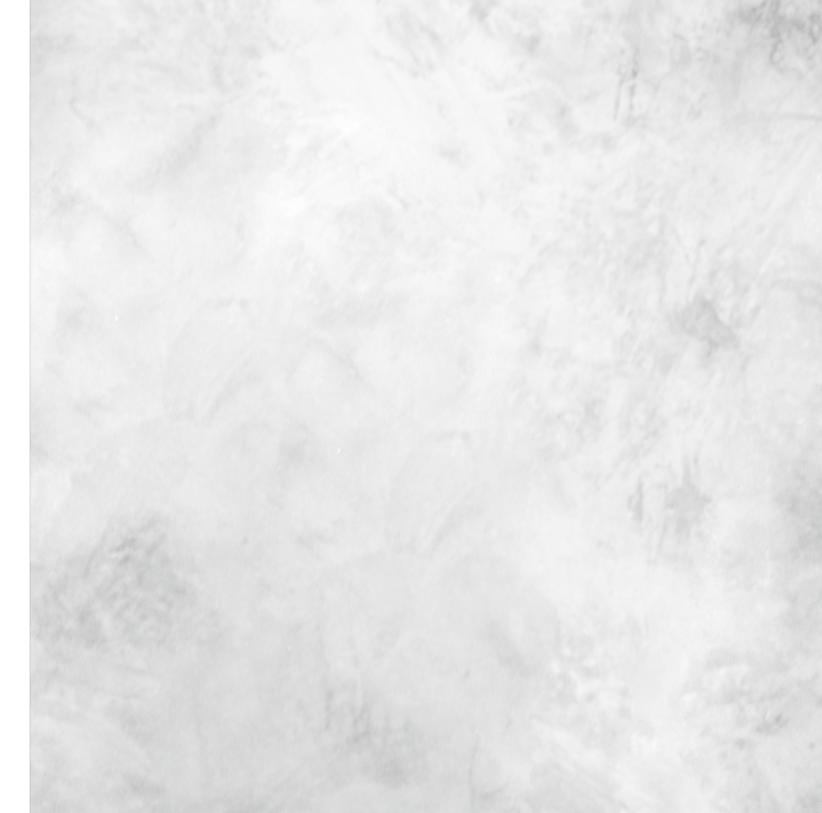
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AMMERS' SACRED HEART 2018

34.5cm ×43cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15







FOR WHAT WE SOW (TRIPTYCH) 2018

 $$24\mbox{cm}\times29\mbox{cm}$$ Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre with encaustic relief Edition of 15



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YOU'RE NOTHING WITHOUT THE MOTHERLAND 2018 36cm × 36cm, Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre, Edition 15



FAITH AND PERSECUTION 2018 35cm × 41.5cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 15 PAUL GADD **•** STATE OF MIND



STATE OF MIND 2017 45cm × 36cm Toned silver gelatin hand print of warm tone fibre Edition 8





CONSEQUENCES OF SOCIAL MEDIA #1 2015 42cm × 44cm, Toned silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre with encaustic relief, Edition of 8



CONSEQUENCES OF SOCIAL MEDIA #2 2015

21.5cm × 23cm Hand painted Silver gelatin print on warm tone gloss fibre Edition of 15

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72cm × 90cm Toned silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition 1

WAITING FOR PURGATORY 2015



SORAYA 2015

44cm ×36cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 8



WAITING FOR PURGATORY 2015

76cm × 92cm Silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition of 5

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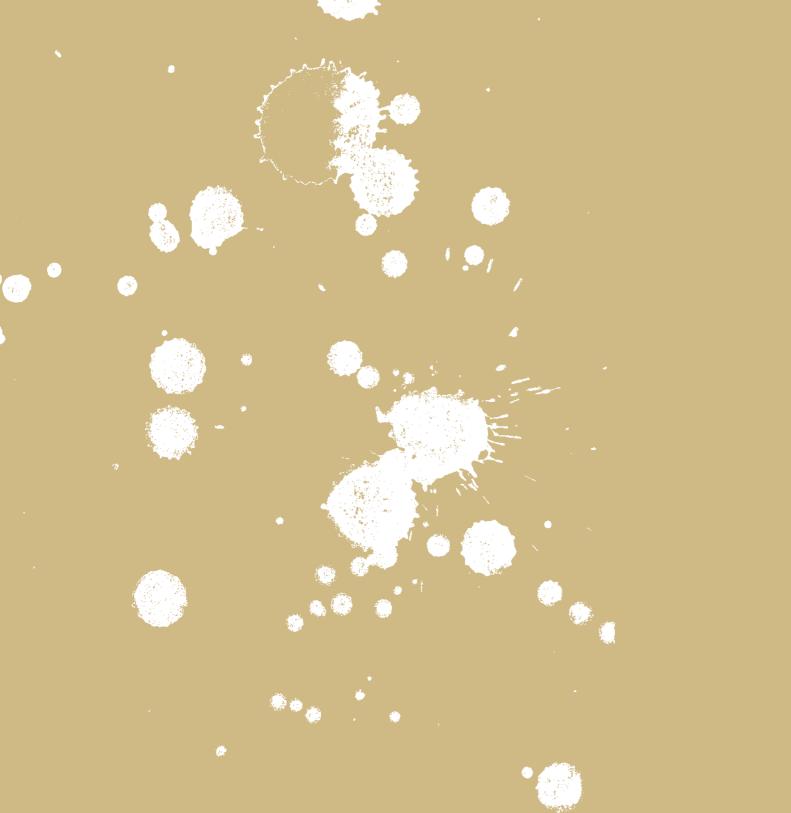






THRONE OF THE FALLEN 2015

72cm × 89cm Hand painted silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre Edition 5





EFFIGY 2017 17cm × 17cm, Toned silver gelatin print on warm tone fibre, Open edition